



## **H.Res. 938 – Commending the West Virginia University Mountaineer football team for exemplifying the pride, determination, and spirit of the Mountain State and overcoming adversity with skill, commitment, and teamwork to win the 2008 Tostitos Fiesta Bowl**

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### FLOOR SITUATION

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H.Res. 938 is being considered on the House floor under suspension of the rules and will require a two-thirds majority vote for passage. This legislation was introduced by Representative Alan Mollohan (D-WV) on January 23, 2008. The bill was referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor, but was never considered.

H.Res. 938 is expected to be considered on the House floor on January 28, 2008.

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### BACKGROUND

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The West Virginia University Mountaineer football team won the 2008 Fiesta Bowl against the Oklahoma Sooners by a score of 48 to 28 on January 2, 2008. The West Virginia University football team finished the season with a record of 11-2 and was ranked #6 in the final Associated Press Top 25 college football poll and the final USA Today Coaches poll. West Virginia University has finished among the top 10 in college football rankings for 3 years in a row.

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### SUMMARY

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H.Res. 938 resolves that the House of Representatives:

- Congratulates the West Virginia University Mountaineer football team for winning the 2008 Tostitos Fiesta Bowl; and
- Commends the team for demonstrating throughout the season the best qualities of teamwork, dedication, and sportsmanship.

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### STAFF CONTACT

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